by the Border Security Force; and

(c) if so, whether the Government propose to purchase this land so that farmers could purchase cultivable land at some other place?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) and (b). Fencing on the Indo-Pak border has been erected at a minimum distance or 150 yards from the "International Border". Some cultivable lands of farmers do fall beyond the fencing. Gates have been provided at frequent intervals to enable the farmers to reach their lands. Checking is done by the B.S.F. only when persons cross the gate to go to their farms or to return from there.

(c) There is no such proposal with the Government.

Low Power T.V. Relay Stations in Gujarat

3932. SHRI KASHIRAM RANA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the number of low power T.V. relay stations in Gujarat, the capacity of which is proposed to be increased by the Government; and

(b) the criteria/norms adopted/laid down by the Government to convert LPTs into HPTs in the country?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) A high power TV transmitter in replacement of the existing low power transmitter is under implementation at Bhuj in Gujarat. Besides, two high power TV transmitters are also envisaged to be set up Vadodra and Surat in the State, in replacement of the existing low power transmitters, subject to actual availability of resources for the purpose.

(b) The criteria for setting up of a TV transmitter at a particular place and deciding its power rating include various factors such as the extent of coverage desired; terrain conditions in the area; time-frame in which coverage is designed to be achieved; availability of resources and relative priorities.

[*English*]

Liquor Shops in Residential Colonies of Delhi

3933. SHRI P.M. SAYEED: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of shops of liquor set up in residential areas of Delhi;

(b) the criteria adopted for opening of liquor shops in residential colonies;

(c) whether there have been a number of violations of law and order due to these shops being in residential areas;

(d) whether the residents of Najafgarh and Rohini have lodged protest against opening of new wine shops in these localities of Delhi; and

(e) if so, the reaction of Government there to?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) to (c). The Delhi Administration has reported that no liquor shop is opened in a residential colony. Liquor shops are opened

only in commercial areas and or/ shopping complexes.

(d) and (e). Following a public agitation against opening of liquor shops in Najafgarh and Rohini in commercial complexes, the Delhi Administration directed the closure of these shops.

[*Translation*]

Electrified and Unelectrified Villages of Bihar

3934. SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH YADAV:
SHRI NAWAL KISHORE RAI:

Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of electrified villages in various districts of Bihar;

(b) the amount allotted and spent during the last three years, district-wise; and

(c) the names of the current schemes by which electrification facilities are being provided in the villages?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : (a) A statement indicating the district-wise number of villages electrified in Bihar upto March,1991 is enclosed.

(b) The Bihar State Electricity Board has informed that funds are not being allocated district-wise. The State Electricity Board has reported that the expenditure incurred on village electrification in the State during the last three years was Rs. 110.76 crores.

(c) The electrification facilities are being provided to villages under the following schemes:-

(i) REC Normal Programme.

(ii) Minimum Needs Programme.

District-wise Village Electrification in Bihar upto 31.3.1991

S. No.	*Name of District*	*Villages electrified as on 31.3.1991*
1.	Patna	1392*
2.	Nalanda	1037*
3.	Gaya	2819*
4.	Jahanabad	190
5.	Nawadah	1003*
6.	Aurangabad	1683
7.	Bhojpur	1458